

SENATE BILL 1004

By Crowe

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 3,
Chapter 17, Part 1, relative to charitable gaming.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-17-103(a)(1)(A), is amended by designating the existing language as subdivision (i) and adding the following language as a new subdivision (ii):

(ii) In addition to the submission deadline described in subdivision (a)(1)(A)(i), a 501(c)(3) organization seeking to operate an annual event for the benefit of that organization located in this state may submit an annual event application to the secretary within three (3) calendar days after this act becomes law, for the annual event period beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-17-103(a)(1), is amended by deleting subdivision (B) and substituting instead the following:

For purposes of the submission deadline, the postmark date on the annual event application shall be considered the date of submission; provided, that for the purposes of the submission deadline pursuant to subdivision (a)(1)(A)(ii) an annual event application shall not be considered submitted to the secretary until in the physical possession of the secretary as evidenced by the secretary's date and time endorsement on such documentation.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-17-103(b), is amended by designating the existing language as subdivision (1) and by adding the following language as a new subdivision (2):

(2) In addition to the omnibus lists transferred to the clerk of the senate and the clerk of the house of representatives pursuant to subdivision (b)(1), the secretary shall transfer an additional omnibus listing of any organizations approved pursuant to subdivision (a)(1)(A)(ii) for the annual event period beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016. The list shall be transferred in a manner consistent with subdivision (b)(1) by twelve o'clock (12:00) noon central daylight time (CDT) within five (5) calendar days after this act becomes law.

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-17-104, is amended by deleting the language "All annual event applications" and substituting instead the language "Except as otherwise provided in § 3-17-103(a)(1), all annual event applications".

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.